National Service in Nevada

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MEETING NEEDS IN NEVADA

Working hand-in-hand with local partners, the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) is investing more than \$8.8 million this year to support cost-effective community solutions in Nevada. This federal funding enables more than 1,950 Americans of all ages and backgrounds to engage in service that meets local needs, strengthens communities, and expands economic opportunity in Nevada. AmeriCorps members and Senior Corps volunteers are preparing today's students for tomorrow's jobs, reducing crime and reviving cities, connecting veterans to services, fighting the opioid epidemic, helping seniors live independently, and rebuilding communities after disasters.

National service participants will serve at more than 250 locations across Nevada, including schools, food banks, homeless shelters, health clinics, youth centers, veterans' facilities, and other nonprofit and faith-based organizations. Through a unique public-private partnership, CNCS, its grantees, and project sponsors will generate more than \$4.5 million in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in Nevada this year. This local support strengthens community impact and increases the return on taxpayer dollars.

AMERICORPS



This year, more than 800 AmeriCorps members will meet pressing local needs across Nevada, making a lasting impact in communities while gaining valuable skills and experience to advance their careers. AmeriCorps members serve in one of three programs:

- AmeriCorps State & National engages men and women
 in intensive service at thousands of locations across the
 country through nonprofits, schools, public agencies,
 tribes, and community and faith-based groups. Most
 AmeriCorps grant funding goes to Nevada Volunteers, the
 Governor-appointed State Service Commission, which in
 turn awards grants to organizations to respond to local
 needs.
- AmeriCorps VISTA (Volunteers In Service To America)
 taps the skills, talents, and passion of Americans of all
 ages to support community efforts to overcome poverty.
- AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps)
 is a full-time, team-based residential program for 18-24
 year-olds. Members develop leadership skills by
 contributing to public safety, environment, and disaster
 projects. FEMA Corps, a unit of NCCC, focuses solely on
 disaster preparedness, response, and recovery.

In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award that can be used to pay for trade school, college, or graduate school; or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than 5,600 Nevada residents have served approximately 7.6 million hours and earned education awards totaling more than \$17.7 million.

SENIOR CORPS



Senior Corps taps the skills, talents, and experience of Americans age 55 and over to meet a wide range of community challenges. This year, more than 1,150 Nevada seniors will meet critical community needs while contributing to their own health and well-being through one of three Senior Corps programs:

- Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to young people with exceptional needs.
- **Senior Companions** help seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes.
- RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols, renovate homes, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services.

Last year, Foster Grandparents tutored and mentored 1,650 young people, Senior Companions helped 340 seniors live independently, and RSVP volunteers strengthened the impact of 90 organizations across Nevada.

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To see other reports about national service in Nevada, please contact NV@cns.gov. The Corporation for National and Community Service is a federal agency that improves lives, strengthens communities, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. To learn more about the Corporation for National and Community Service, visit NationalService.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 1-800-833-3722.



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At a Glance Report



AmeriCorps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding	
AmeriCorps National AmeriCorps State AmeriCorps VISTA	2 7 10	75 81 19	367 390 46	\$1,623,417 \$1,055,686 \$260,594	\$154,284 \$2,332,659 \$703,613	
AMERICORPS TOTAL	19	175	803	\$2,939,698	\$3,190,556	
Senior Corps	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding	
Foster Grandparent Program RSVP Senior Companion Program Senior Demonstration Program SENIOR CORPS TOTAL	2 2 2 1	38 62 1 -	195 772 128 100 1,195	- - - -	\$857,487 \$257,434 \$280,211 \$450,000 \$1,845,132	
Other Funding	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding	
AmeriCorps State Planning Grant Research Grants State Commission Investment Funds State Commission Operations Support OTHER FUNDING TOTAL	4 1 1 1	- - - -	- - - -	- - - -	\$275,726 \$89,416 \$205,278 \$265,000 \$835,420	
PROGRAM TOTALS TOTAL CNCS FUNDING (Including Segal A	33 AmeriCorps Edu	276 cation Awards)	1,998	\$2,939,698	\$5,871,108 \$8,810,806	
TOTAL LOCAL PROJECT SUPPORT (Non-CNCS Resources) TOTAL CNCS FUNDING + TOTAL LOCAL PROJECT SUPPORT						

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City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Partic Locations	cipants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding
Carson City	Boys & Girls Clubs of Western Nevada Boys & Girls Clubs of Western Nevada	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$5,920	\$16,125
Las Vegas	Reinvent Schools Las Vegas City of Las Vegas	AmeriCorps State	13	48	\$142,080	\$357,603
Mesquite	Mesquite Works Mesquite Works	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	3	\$17,760	\$48,375
Pahrump	Nye Communities Coalition Nye Communities Coalition	AmeriCorps State	16	22	\$71,040	\$180,893
Pahrump	Nye Communities Coalition II Nye Communities Coalition	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	4	\$24,030	\$64,500
Pahrump	Partners of Prevention AmeriCorps Program Nye Communities Coalition	AmeriCorps State	17	20	\$74,000	\$172,837
Paradise	Nevada Homeless Alliance Nevada Homeless Alliance	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$5,920	\$16,125
Reno	Enhancing Well-Being and Health Outcomes for Older Adults Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno	AmeriCorps VISTA	4	7	\$41,790	\$112,875
Reno	NCED Statewide VISTA Project Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	4	\$24,030	\$64,500
Reno	Neighbor Network of Northern Nevada Neighbor Network of Northern Nevada	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	4	\$23,680	\$64,500
Reno	Northern Nevada International Ce Northern Nevada International Ce	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$5,920	\$16,125
Reno	TMPF VISTA Program Grant 1 Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	7	\$42,665	\$112,875
Reno	Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation (Nevada Volunteers) Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation	AmeriCorps State	10	36	\$137,538	\$385,581
Reno	Truckee Meadows Student Stewards Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation	AmeriCorps VISTA	4	14	\$68,879	\$187,613
Reno	Walker Basin Conservancy AmeriCorps Program Walker Basin Conservancy	AmeriCorps State	1	52	\$129,175	\$362,019
Washoe Valley	Great Basin Institute Great Basin Institute	AmeriCorps State	14	175	\$392,552	\$595,000
Washoe Valley	Great Basin Institute The Corps Network	AmeriCorps National	18	150	\$338,777	\$45,784
Winchester	Teach For America - Las Vegas Teach For America	AmeriCorps National	57	217	\$1,284,640	\$108,500
Winnemucca	Nevada Outdoor Schools AmeriCorps Program Nevada Outdoor School	AmeriCorps State	10	37	\$109,301	\$278,726
AMERICORPS TO			175	803	\$2,939,698	\$3,190,556

Senior Corps

City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Parti Locations	icipants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding
Carson City	Nevada 15 Rural Counties Retired & Senior Volunteer Program Nevada Rural Counties RSVP Inc.	RSVP	40	370	-	\$148,183
Paradise	Jewish Family Service Agency Jewish Family Service Agency	Senior Companion Program	n -	68	-	\$216,000

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Paradise	Jewish Family Service Agency II Jewish Family Service Agency	Foster Grandparent Program	-	105	-	\$379,658
Paradise	Jewish Family Service Agency III Jewish Family Service Agency	Senior Demonstration Program	-	100	-	\$450,000
Reno	Washoe County RSVP Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno	RSVP	22	402	-	\$109,251
Sparks	Northern Nevada FGP Seniors in Service	Foster Grandparent Program	38	90	-	\$477,829
Sparks	Senior Companion Program of Northern Nevada Seniors in Service	Senior Companion Program	n 1	60	-	\$64,211
SENIOR CORPS	TOTAL		101	1,195	-	\$1,845,132

Other Funding

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City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Location	Participants s	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding
Gardnerville	Family Support Council Child Wellness Planning Grant Family Support Council	AmeriCorps State Planning Grant			-	\$56,292
Reno	Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno Board of Regents, NSHE, obo University of Nevada, Reno	Research Grants			-	\$89,416
Reno	Healthy Futures: Reducing Immunization Disparities Immunize Nevada	AmeriCorps State Planning Grant			-	\$73,550
Reno	Nevada Volunteers	State Commission Investment Funds			-	\$205,278
Reno	Nevada Volunteers	State Commission Operations Support			-	\$265,000
Reno	Truckee Meadows Infrastructure Project Truckee Meadows Parks Foundation	AmeriCorps State Planning Grant			-	\$74,968
Spring Valley	United Way of Southern Nevada AmeriCorps Program United Way of Southern Nevada	AmeriCorps State Planning Grant			-	\$70,916
OTHER FUNDING	TOTAL				-	\$835,420
PROGRAM TOTA	LS		27	6 1,998	\$2,939,698	\$5,871,108
TOTAL CNCS FUI	NDING (Including Education Scholarships)					\$8,810,806
TOTAL LOCAL PR	ROJECT SUPPORT (Non-CNCS Resources)					\$4,551,802

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